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the hearing taking into account the exercise of due diligence. Additionally, the parties are currently negotiating a global resolution of this matter to encompass the two charged attempted bank robberies as well as the currently uncharged actual bank robberies. This resolution will likely involve a separate, but related, plea agreement between the Sacramento District Attorney's Office and Defendant. The parties need additional time to complete negotiations and documentation of this global agreement, which will likely require the transfer of Defendant, following judgement in the above-captioned matter, into state custody for entry of a plea in Sacramento County and then return of Defendant to federal custody.

The extension is not sought for delay. The parties agree the ends of justice served by granting the continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Undersigned defense counsel represents that she has spoken with her client, Mr. Varvel, and that Mr. Varvel agrees to this request. Therefore, the parties further stipulate and request that the Court exclude time between April 15, 2008 and May 7, 2008 under the Speedy Trial Act for the reasons stated above and pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv).

DATED: April 15, 2008

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1	entry of a plea in Sacramento County and then return of Defendant to federal custody. For these
2	stated reasons, the Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting the continuance
3	outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Good cause
4	appearing therefor, and pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv),
5	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the status hearing in this matter is moved from April
6	16, 2008 to May 7, 2008 at 2:00 p.m., and that time between April 15, 2008 and May 7, 2008 is
7	excluded under the Speedy Trial Act to allow for the effective preparation of counsel, taking into
8	account the exercise of due diligence.
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10	DATED: HON. CLAUDIA WILKEN
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